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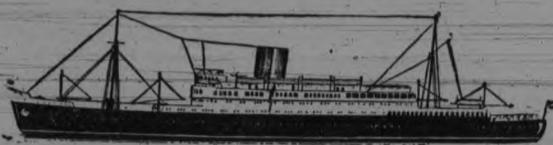
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Sun sets, 6.17; rises Thursday, 5.57.

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LATEST



RAIDER ON PACIFIC—The German liner Scharnhorst, in port at Kobe, Japan, is being converted into a commerce raider, it is reported in a Tokio newspaper. Built when Germany was not allowed to build battleships, it is believed she may be armor-plated and fitted with gun mountings. British ships in Japanese waters are keeping secret the time they are due in Japanese ports.

200 Shots Fired In Naval Fight

COPENHAGEN (AP)—Danish fishermen and police officials reported indications today that a naval engagement may have occurred in the Strait of Kattegat, between Sweden and Denmark.

A line of ships northeast of Laesoe Island was sighted by the island's police chief, who said sounds of cannonading came from the vessels.

About 200 shots were fired before the sounds stopped, the police official said after watching with binoculars. He was unable to determine the character of the line of vessels.

Fishermen who ply the Strait, an arm of the North Sea leading to the Baltic, said they heard sounds of cannonading which could come only from warships.

The Aalborg newspaper Amstidende reported heavy cannon fire from points east of the Island of Laesoe was heard between last midnight and noon today, and was too heavy to be practice firing.

THYSSEN FLEES?

PARIS—Fritz Thyssen, famed German industrialist often rumored to have been an early supporter of Nazism, is reported by the Radio Agency today to have fled from Germany.

Double Navy Crews

OTTAWA—Canada will double its naval personnel, in addition to organizing two army divisions for service overseas if necessary, and will also intensify air force training and construct a large number of anti-submarine craft.

French 'No' to Hitler

PARIS (AP)—Newspapers today declared Hitler's peace offer in his Danzig speech was "fala-cious," and one said: "Our answer is 'no,' a thousand times 'no,' because we do not want to begin the war again in six months under even worse conditions. Hitlerism must be destroyed."

Army Rejects Hotel

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Vancouver city council today abandoned plans for converting the old Hotel Vancouver building, left vacant several months ago with the opening of the big new hotel, into a military and naval headquarters. Brigadier J. C. Stewart, officer commanding the Military District No. 11, which includes Vancouver, said the building was not suitable for such use.

3 HURT IN BLAST IN SS. NOOTKA

KETCHIKAN, Alaska (AP)—Three Canadian seamen were severely injured today when an explosion in the number 4 hold of the Canadian Pacific freighter Nootka wrecked a hatch and did minor damage to the vessel's stern.

The explosion was attributed to coal damp. It was heard eight miles away on the Ketchikan waterfront, from where the ship had sailed for Sitka.

The injured seamen, all taken to a hospital, because of burns suffered in a subsequent fire, are Boden Storey, Sidney, Vancouver Island; William Wilson, Winnipeg, and John Sandberg of Port Arthur, B.C.

The freighter's master, Capt. M. MacKinnon, declined comment but said the ship was not seriously damaged.

French Deserters in B.C. Get Amnesty Chance

Fernand Gallat, consul for France for western Canada, announced today that an amnesty has been decreed for all defectors and deserters of French nationality who shall apply to the consulate for the purpose of enlistment within the next 30 days.

'No Hitler Truce' Says Chamberlain Italy Out to Lead S. Europe Neutrals

Duce Recalls Troops From Greek Border

By the Canadian Press

Reports from Balkan capitals and tightening Italian-Spanish relations indicated today that Italy gradually is assuming leadership of a neutral bloc extending from the Black Sea to the Atlantic Ocean.

In Rome authoritative sources said it was only natural that Italy, as the most powerful European neutral, should undertake the role of guiding southern Europe.

The neutral bloc was described as "an unwritten community of interests," with Italy the frontal nation in close diplomatic relationship with Spain, Hungary, Yugoslavia, Bulgaria, Roumania and Greece.

With Italy steering clear of the war, Spain was reported more distant toward Germany but warm to Italy.

Despite Russia's assurances of neutrality, there were indications she intends to dominate the north Baltic, where she is said to want an ice-free port.

The Copenhagen newspaper Berlinske Tidende said British sources believe it is only a question of time before Estonia and Latvia will be incorporated in the Soviet.

ITALIAN TROOPS WITHDRAW

ROME (AP)—Italy announced today the withdrawal of her troops from the Albanian-Greek frontier as evidence of "complete reciprocal trust" between Italy and Greece.

Concrete proof of reciprocal trust has been given "by the decision of the Italian government to withdraw its military forces from the Greek-Albanian frontier in line with analogous provisions which the Greek government is adopting on its part," said the Italian communiqué.

Italy occupied Albania in a brief Easter week-end campaign which carried Italian troops to the Greek frontier.

War May Help Lumber Trade

Activity of British Columbia's lumber industry may be maintained despite the war, according to forestry branch officials.

"Naturally," one official said, "Britain's supply from the Baltics will be curtailed and there is every chance British Columbia will get a larger share of the United Kingdom market, providing there is not a serious lack of ships. For the present, of course, this situation is uncertain."

For 'Cash-and-carry'

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Ex-Governor Landon, Republican presidential candidate at the last election, invited here to confer with President Roosevelt in a non-partisan gathering at the White House, today said:

"Sentiment in favor of a cash-and-carry system, amending the neutrality act, is very strong and this is my opinion too."

It stated that arrests throughout the protectorate ran "into thousands, those executed into hundreds."

"The fact that this is not just a flash in the pan is shown by the unanimity of purpose, the tenacity and the discipline of the participants."

"Those who had no firearms seized any weapon handy. Laborers' wives in Prague were content with boards studded with nails, with which to strike the enemy."

"While it lasted the fight was relentless and grim, with no quarter given by either side."

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WAR ROLES—King George and Queen Elizabeth are active in bringing the encouragement of their presence to Britons engaged in war work. Above, Her Majesty inspects a London decontamination squad of volunteers dressed in gasproof clothes. Their job is to clear gassed areas after bombardments. Behind the queen is King George, arrow, wearing a Royal Air Force uniform.

3 Cheers For Stalin'—George Bernard Shaw

ROME (CP)—George Bernard Shaw, the playwright, wrote the editor of *The Times* today that he considered the news from Soviet Russia "good news for us, as far as any war news can be called good."

"The question," said Shaw, "is not whether Mr. Molotoff's speech resembles certain utterances of Herr Hitler's or not. What concerns us is whether Mr. Molotoff's statements are true or not. They are obviously true to me."

"Instead of giving three cheers for Stalin we are shrieking that all is lost."

"Mr. Stalin lately sent us a photograph of himself laughing at us. When will we learn to laugh at ourselves?"

Shaw added:

"We have encouraged Poland to fight by our pledge to support her; and we have encouraged ourselves by silly reports that the Polish army was unbroken and that the Poles were performing prodigies of valor. The truth, as we now have to admit, and as Mr. Molotoff notes, is that our support has so entirely failed that the Polish resistance has been wiped out, and with it the Polish army and the Polish government, leaving Poland derelict to be picked up and put on by Herr Hitler as a cat's paw."

"At this point, we being helpless, Mr. Stalin steps in and says 'Not quite. If the Ukraine and White Russia are going begging, Russia will occupy them, Hitler or no Hitler.'

"He said the commission chairman, who has a seven-year contract with the government, has not severed his connection with the board permanently."

Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, announced today that Dr. Peebles has gone to the federal capital, but did not disclose the nature of his new work.

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The main movement, he said, is to join the defense forces, particularly on Vancouver Island, while the mobile units that might see active service have several gaps.

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At this point Mr. Chamberlain's indignation prompted him to stray from his carefully prepared speech. His voice betrayed his deep emotion when he said ex-temporaneously:

"What I have searched for in vain in his speech is one single word that Hitler remembers the brave men who have already lost their lives in this quarrel of his making, or their wives and children who have been bereft forever of the head of their family because their leader's lust for power had to be satisfied."

Resuming his text, the Prime Minister continued:

"I have only one general comment to make. Our general purpose in this struggle is well known. It is to redeem Europe from perpetual and recurring fear of German aggression and enable the peoples of Europe to preserve their independence and liberties. No threats will deter us or our French allies from this purpose."

"It is not our way in this country to speak with boasts and threats. Perhaps for that very reason the German leaders have difficulty in understanding us."

WILL PUBLISH FACTS

He said Hitler's "misstatements of fact included his declaration France had agreed to Italian mediation while Britain refused it. The Prime Minister said a new white paper would be issued tomorrow, so that public opinion may have no difficulty in forming its final judgments.

With the apparent purpose of allaying public anxiety as to

Britain Winning In Anti-Sub Drive, Premier Reports

By J. F. SANDERSON

Canadian Press Staff Writer

LONDON—Great Britain and France will not be deterred from their task of ridding the world of Hitlerism by Russia's invasion of eastern Poland. Prime Minister Chamberlain declared in the House of Commons today.

Nor will the two allied democracies be influenced by threats from Adolf Hitler. The Reichsfuehrer's speech in Danzig yesterday "does not change the situation with which we are confronted," said Mr. Chamberlain.

He declared against uncertain adventures "calculated to impair our resources and to postpone ultimate victory."

"One lesson which military history teaches is that that road leads to disaster," he said.

STRATEGY OF CONCENTRATION

Strategy, Mr. Chamberlain went on, is "the art of concentrating decisive force at the decisive point at the decisive moment."

"The scale of our preparations and the fact already announced that we are basing them on the assumption that duration of the war may be at least three years ensure that our strength will increase progressively to meet whatever may come."

The Prime Minister referred to preparations in the Dominions to take a full share in the war effort and declared the resources of the Empire "in the aggregate are stronger and more powerful than at the outset of any past war."

ATTITUDE TO NEUTRALS

He said Britain's attitude toward neutral nations was "in striking contrast to the policy pursued by Germany."

ANTI-U-BOAT DRIVE

Mr. Chamberlain said "it is already clear that the navy and merchant marine will be able to maintain essential supplies of raw materials and food for this country."

The navy anti-submarine campaign in two weeks had achieved more results than were accomplished over much longer periods in the last war," he said, adding that "already six or seven submarines had paid the full penalty." He emphasized this was a decidedly low estimate, an understatement, because of the difficulty in determining when a U-boat had been sunk by depth charges.

In some cases, Mr. Chamberlain said "crews of U-boats have been captured."

April, 1917, was the peak month of British losses by submarines and mines in the first Great War, the average weekly sinkings amounting to 39 ships and 127,000 tons. During the week ended September 12 last British losses were 17 ships, 95,000 tons, and for the week ended September 19, 13 ships, 45,848 tons.

This decrease between the first and second weeks of the war had been partly due to the working of the convoy system, now increasingly in operation.

The Prime Minister said 139 lives, both British and neutral, had been lost from submarine attack, excluding casualties through the sinking of the aircraft carrier *Courageous*. In addition 44 persons were missing.

"The great difference between the last war and this one," said Mr. Chamberlain, "is that, whereas in the last war we were on the defensive against the U-boat campaign, we are now carrying out an offensive against the U-boats and they are continuously and relentlessly attacked whenever they disclose themselves."

(Earlier Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, had said there was "every reason to believe" the submarine which sank the aircraft carrier *Courageous* last Sunday had been sunk subsequently).

Arthur Greenwood, acting leader of the opposition, charged Russia had become an aggressor and declared "It is a matter of very deep regret that Poland was not provided more generously with sorely-needed assistance."



RUSSIAN TROOPS ADVANCE TO MEET NAZIS ON 'EXIT LINE'—Warsaw still resists its Nazi besiegers, but the future plans by Germany and Russia for the partition of Poland have been initiated and an "exit line" to which German troops will withdraw, has been charted. A line drawn roughly from Lwow to Bialystok is to separate German and Russian occupation of the republic. While the Russian army continues to advance, in some places more than 70 miles, on Lwow and Vilna, a large-scale evacuation of Polish officials and war equipment is taking place into neutral territory.

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Britain, France Out to Win, But Not Being Rash

OTTAWA (Special) — Transfer of the portfolio of the Ministry of Defence from Hon. Ian Mackenzie to Hon. Norman Rogers, formerly Minister of Labor, caused no surprise in the minds of Britshers and Frenchmen, says a special London staff cable to the Chicago Daily News.

This is the thought which has fortified them against the attacks of critics who charge that Britain and France have not done their duty by the Poles and that something, and something violent, must be done to Germany now.

Poland, runs this line of reasoning, boldly chose to fight the Germans from the very moment they reached her frontiers—a fight which was hopeless as far as the possibility of defending those frontiers was concerned.

NOT AS RASH

Hats off to Poland, but this does not mean that everybody else must be as rash, say the strategists, it does not mean, for instance, that Britain and France must, without adequate preparation, undertake a suicidal assault against Germany which might permanently deplete their manpower and jeopardize the primary objective of the war—to smash Adolf Hitler.

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This war, as it is seen from London, is going to be a long, grueling affair, and it is not necessarily going to be won by the side which does the most attacking.

Fighting may go on in the air and on land, and there may be incidents at sea, but there is also Britain's mighty contraband control which is now stretching its fingers out into all corners of the world.

This control will not cripple the German military machine within a week, or a month, or perhaps six months. But with a modicum of co-operation from neutral powers, it will exert constant and growing pressure on Germany and eventually, like an old harpoon, working its way through the body of a whale, may reach her "life."

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What it does mean is that the failure of the French and British to assault or to puncture the Siegfried Line in the early stages of the war must not be ascribed to any lack of determination on their part, and it will not mean that they have stopped fighting before they have really begun.

Britain Purchases Australian Metals

CANBERRA, Australia (CP) — Prime Minister Robert Menzies today announced Great Britain would buy the complete Australian export surplus of refined zinc, a large proportion of the lead surplus and a specified percentage of copper at prices approximately equal to those prevailing before the war.

Previous arrangements announced included purchases by Britain of Australia's wood clip and raw sugar surplus.)

Sino-Japanese Peace Reports Circulate

SHANGHAI (CP-Havas) — Reports of Sino-Japanese peace negotiations circulated in Shanghai today, but both Japanese and Chinese officials declined either to confirm or deny them. The reports were strengthened by recovery of the Chinese dollar, which advanced yesterday from 6.55 to 7.35 cents.

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Observers in touch with the trend of cabinet discussion assert Mr. Mackenzie reached his decision to relinquish the portfolio because of criticism leveled at him since the Davis royal commission exonerated him and his department of charges in connection with the Bren gun contract. It is learned that in spite of the Prime Minister's reluctance to accept a valued colleague's resignation as head of such a vital department, the Vancouver member remained adamant.

It is felt here that Mr. Mackenzie's qualifications will be valuable and make for continued efficient administration of the important portfolio of Pensions and National Health he has accepted.

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Submarine Hunted Off Nova Scotia

HALIFAX (CP) — The Commander of the Naval Dockyard here, Commander H. E. Reid, issued a statement last night which read:

"Fairly reliable reports indicate a submarine may have been operating off the Nova Scotia coast today.

"Search by sea and air was instigated. As a result, a destroyer dropped a depth charge in a suspicious area.

"Results of the attack by the destroyer are unknown."

Source of the report the submarine was off this province was not disclosed.

At offices of the eastern command of the Royal Canadian Air Force, an officer stated R.C.A.F. planes flying in this vicinity yesterday had seen "nothing" of the reported sub.

"I'm certain if it had been near the surface our machines would have seen it," the official said.

While the navy did not reveal the spot where the depth charge had been dropped, shore observers said a destroyer had been seen to discharge one off Chabucto Head, at the mouth of outer Halifax harbor. A spout of water shot skyward behind the warship, they said.

Germans Renew Warsaw Air Raids

BUDAPEST (7:40 p.m.—10:40 P.M., AP) — Besieged Warsaw was raided four times today by German air squadrons, the Polish capital's radio station announced.

"Incendiary bombs were dropped on the Red Cross hospital which caught fire," the Warsaw announcer said.

Despite continued heavy bombing and machine-gunning, he said volunteers rushed into the building to remove patients.

The heaviest raid was said to have started at 5:30 p.m. (8:30 a.m., P.S.T.) and lasted for more than 30 minutes.

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Nazis Yield to Soviet In Dividing Up Poland



10,000,000 IN POLISH MINORITY GROUPS—Soviet troops have marched into Poland ostensibly for the protection of the White Russian and Ukrainian minorities. Poland's total population is about 35,000,000. Of this number, 10,000,000 comprise minorities, the six main ethnic groups being shown on the map. The largest minority group is that of the Ukrainians in the south.

By ALVIN J. STEINPOFF

BERLIN—The German high command disclosed today Germany and Soviet Russia have reached an agreement on the partition of Poland, at least so far as their armies of occupation are concerned.

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It asserted German forces would withdraw from their present positions after "destruction of the last remnants of the Polish army" there to the "demarcation line definitely fixed between the German and Russian governments.

Whether this line lies east or west of Warsaw was not indicated. The communiqué claimed German forces have advanced to a line running from Stryi, in southeast Poland, north near the industrial city of Lwow, thence almost straight north to Brest-Litovsk (Brest-Litovsk), about 160 miles from the Soviet frontier, and up to Bialystok, about 150 miles from the Russian border.

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Ministerial Changes

IF THERE IS ANY SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE in Prime Minister Mackenzie King's cabinet readjustment which has occasioned the transfer of Hon. Ian Mackenzie from the portfolio of Defence to that of Pensions and National Health, and the installation in that vital department of the public service of Hon. Norman Rogers, it will be explained when, and if, the occasion demands. It is sufficient in the meantime to accept the suggestion that the British Columbia minister asked to be relieved of the task he has discharged since the government took office in 1935—because his exoneration and that of his department by the Davis Royal Commission has not stilled those voices which have continued to harp on the Brem gun inquiry and Mr. Mackenzie as Minister of Defence in particular.

Cabinet reorganizations in wartime, of course, are more often the rule than the exception. And the public of Canada will agree that Mr. King has by no means weakened his ministry by the changes he has made. Special interest naturally centres on Mr. Rogers, who not only has discharged his task as Minister of Labor with conspicuous success but who also takes up his new portfolio particularly well endowed to superintend the best type of service which it has been decreed—by close co-operation with the government in London—this Dominion shall render to the Empire's cause in the present struggle. Like his predecessor, Mr. Rogers is a young man—he is only 45—and knows what war is, for he served in the ranks of the C.E.F. in the last conflict.

Of more direct benefit to the ministry, however, will be the fund of special knowledge which Mr. Rogers is able to bring to bear on the important duties to which he has been assigned. He possesses an intimate understanding of working conditions in Canada and Labor's relations with industry in general.

No sooner had he settled down in his ministerial seat than he developed a new approach to the problem of unemployment in the Dominion. He was the driving force behind the home improvement scheme which stimulated demand for labor in a basic productive Canadian industry. The youth training plan under his jurisdiction gave him a practical insight into the problem of young Canadians. Testimony to the excellent dividends this program has paid is found in the willingness with which Parliament has granted the funds for its expansion. In other words, Mr. Rogers understands the condition of the human and material resources from which he will be able to draw for any intensive program of industrial or military mobilization that may be required.

Nor should it be forgotten that Mr. Rogers has the confidence of labor and industry, his frequent association with prominent leaders in both spheres of influence furnishing him with important requisites for the tasks ahead of him. This in itself would seem to assure for Canada's war-department the fullest possible co-operation of the vital economic agencies upon which the nation relies to assist it in providing its contribution to the supreme effort Britain and France are exerting to stamp out Hitlerism.

Is Belgium Safe?

IF BRITAIN AND FRANCE CONTINUE their program and demonstrate to the world their implacable resolve to defeat Hitlerism—despite the Russo-German "entente"—it is to be expected that Nazi troops will invade Luxembourg and Belgium in order to try a flanking movement against the Maginot Line?

With the situation in Poland such as to permit the withdrawal of substantial reinforcements for the west, it is suggested that should British-French pressure now being applied in German territory become too serious a menace to a large part of the industrial Rhineland, necessity again will recognize no undertaking to neutral nations.

One military expert who admits that a repetition of the tactics employed by the Kaiser's armies in 1914 is well within the realms of possibility says the French probably hope for nothing better than an assault upon their Maginot Line. He adds: "To call those defences 'impregnable' would be an exaggeration, but the attacker who contrived to make a breach in them would find himself in the unpleasant situation of having to face the counter-offensive of a powerful, well-equipped and highly-trained mobile field army only awaiting such an opportunity."

Hitler Gets His Answer

PRIME MINISTER CHAMBERLAIN SAID in the British House of Commons today what it was expected he would say: Great Britain and France propose to follow the course they have charted for their respective countries. Nothing the Nazi chief shouted at Danzig yesterday impressed the statesmen of either nation beyond reminding both of them that until Hitlerism has been eliminated from the world the Anglo-French pledge to Poland will not be considered fulfilled. Mr. Chamberlain could not have put his country's position any clearer than when he used the following terms:

"I have only one general comment to make. Our general purpose in this struggle is well known. It is to redeem Europe from perpetual and recurring fear of German ag-

gression and enable the peoples of Europe to preserve their independence and liberties."

We get an idea of the mental disturbance taking place in the mind of the Prime Minister when he departed from his carefully prepared speech to give extemporaneous expression to the following in connection with the text of Hitler's statements:

"What I have searched for in vain in his speech is one single word that Hitler remembers the brave men who have already lost their lives in this quarrel of life making, or their wives and children who have been bereft forever of the head of their family because of their Leader's lust for power to be satisfied."

Adolf Hitler did not go to Danzig to talk about the death and destruction which his "senseless ambitions" have caused. He went there to crow over the subjugation of his weaker neighbor, to laud the triumph which his troops had scored over the Polish people, to preen himself on the efficacy of the Nazi machine—and particularly that part of it which wrought such havoc among the women and children in open towns and villages. That is the Hitler mentality. This madman of Berlin cannot understand the feelings of Chamberlain who finds himself obliged to ask his compatriots to help his country and her ally to stop this ghastly business—to make it impossible for it ever again to be repeated.

Hitler and his bloodthirsty gang know now, however, that the events of the last four days not only have not dismayed the British and French people, but have made them more determined than ever to go their way and fight for what they believe is right. Their cause must prevail just as certainly as there must follow its victory a new conception of human responsibility in the years to come.

What Turkey's Premier Said

SUGGESTIONS THAT THE RUSSO-GERMAN nonaggression pact and the Soviet's contemplated formal annexation of a large slice of Poland may dampen Turkey's ardor in her association with Great Britain and France—reports of the kind naturally enlarged upon by the German press—should be considered in conjunction with the terms of an address delivered by M. Saydar, Prime Minister of Turkey, when the Anglo-Turkish pact was negotiated last May. He said in part:

"You are well aware of the developments of political and military events which have taken place in Europe in recent times. Statesmen have made every possible effort that world peace should not be troubled by events likely to lead to bloodshed."

"The basis of Turkish policy has been, as far as possible, to keep clear of eventual calamitous events and maintain a neutral and pacific position. But events having penetrated the Balkan Peninsula and having menaced the security of the Mediterranean, Turkey could not remain indifferent and neutral."

"This is why we have resolved, together with other powers having interests in the Mediterranean, that this sea must be considered as common property. It is a question of security and a necessity to prevent the possibility of the establishment of a hegemony in the Mediterranean."

Turkey has realized the need to collaborate with all states united with a view to safeguarding peace. I ask the authorization of the Grand National Assembly for Turkey to march side by side with Britain."

Post-war Turkey has not progressed to the position she now holds among the nations of the world on policies of deceit or blatant opportunism; she has acquired a new outlook, even though she acquired it under the benevolent and understanding dictatorship of the late Kemal Attaturk, which she is scarcely likely to change without good cause.

M. Saydar's case for his country is stated unequivocally in that part of his address we have quoted.

How Canada Voted for War

From Toronto Saturday Night

Mr. King, we have said, knew that a decision to abstain from the war would have torn Canada to pieces. But he also knew that a decision to enter it would put a considerable strain upon the national unity; and no man, not even Sir Wilfrid Laurier, could have been more solicitous than he to insure that the strain should be as slight as possible. In this he was ably and devotedly seconded by the Rt. Hon. Ernest Lapointe, who has risked his political life in the effort to keep his fellow French-Canadians from succumbing to the lure of the isolationists, separatists, Laurentianists and the rest who can see no future for French Canada in a Dominion stretching from sea to sea.

When Mr. King and Mr. Lapointe told the members of the House of Commons that they were perfectly free to vote against the declaration of war, but that if a majority of them did so they must seek another government to carry on the nation's business, they were compelling the French representatives to face the realities of the situation as no other method could have done, with the result that only three Quebec members spoke, and only two voted, against the declaration.

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Thoughts

Honor thy father and thy mother: that they may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee. Exodus 20:12. We are under solemn obligations to the children of those who have loved us—Poincetol.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

THE MAP

IF YOUR LITTLE BOY has a globe map of the world you had better steal it, when he isn't looking, and examine the eastern and western rims of the Pacific Ocean. Then read the latest news from Europe and superimpose it, in your mind's eye, upon the map. It will provide you with an evening's interesting thought.

Russia is on the make. It has made its deal with Germany and taken its cut in Poland. It is patching up a deal with Japan. More important to us, the whole policy of Russia moves eastward, in the development of Siberia. It is becoming, with its Pacific ports and coastline, a great Pacific power.

The globe map will surprise most people who are accustomed to the distorted projection of the flat map. You will see that the tip of Alaska is right out west of us in Victoria, lying between us and Japan and Russia. Alaska is almost in sight of the Russians and Japanese, who are busy these days making their deals and looking years, perhaps centuries, ahead.

The United States has been looking at the map of the Pacific a long time and has prepared for anything that may happen there by fortifying Alaska, by drawing a line of naval defence from Dutch Harbor to Honolulu to the Panama Canal.

That is where Canada comes in. We lie fortunately behind this invisible line which can be maintained by the United States navy. We feel pretty safe, with the American navy on the Pacific and the British navy on the Atlantic. So, up to now, we have let things slide.

NOT ENOUGH

LONG AGO CANADA should have had a military treaty with the United States, should have understood exactly what the United States would do if this country were attacked, either by invasion or by raid. Today we have no such understanding, only the vague assurances of the Monroe Doctrine and a speech by President Roosevelt.

ITALY'S PLAN

These are not enough. For one thing they refer only to an attempt to occupy Canada and establish a foreign power's control here. They certainly do not cover raids on our ports and our shipping.

If German submarines sink ships in our Atlantic ports, it is no business of the United States. If airplanes bomb any city in Canada, the Monroe Doctrine does not apply. If our Pacific coast is ever raided, our Pacific shipping sunk, the United States is not obligated to do anything about it.

No Canadian government has dared to talk about an alliance with the United States. The United States, for its part, has felt no need for an alliance for its own protection and, anyway, has known that a suggestion of an alliance would be misinterpreted.

I talked about this in Washington last spring to some men high in the government of the United States. Any proposal for an alliance, said Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, must come from Canada. If the United States proposed it a lot of Canadians would think the United States wanted quietly to get control of Canada, which is the very last thing it wants to do, having too many economic problems of its own.

The importance of Canada to the defence of the United States is so great that, if Canada were to propose a treaty, the United States would certainly be interested. Even the isolationists cannot isolate themselves from Canada, for Canada is the United States' northern frontier against any foreign enemy, particularly on the Pacific.

Canada does nothing about an alliance because all our governments have feared their own electors. Too many Canadians, in the past, have entertained the quaint idea that an alliance with the United States somehow would be disloyal to Britain. It might as well be argued that an alliance between Britain and France is disloyal to Canada.

ONLY IN EUROPE

THE FEAR OF the Canadian politicians about any "foreign commitments" is quite comical. For a year the Canadian government was secretly exchanging military information with the American government and our fortifications on the Straits of Juan de Fuca were built to complement the American forts on the other side. But when this newspaper revealed this exchange of information last spring it produced a gasp of horror in Ottawa. The politicians were terrified of what the Canadian people would say. The Canadian people said it was a good idea and the politicians sank back with a long sigh of relief. The Canadian people have more sense than the politicians sometimes give them credit for.

Still, there were no foreign commitments. Premier King made that very clear when he was asked in the House of Commons about this newspaper's story on the defence situation. No, we have no commitment to fight if the United States is attacked, if our own first line of defence is attacked. But we have a commitment to fight for Poland and are fighting now, though Poland could never help to defend us. We will agree to fight anywhere in Europe where the interests of our Empire demand it. We will not agree in advance to fight in America for our neighbor.

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Britain Wins Back The Mediterranean

By ALBERT VITON

In the Nation

A NEW SPIRIT of resolution now reigns in the Middle Sea," says the unofficial organ of the British Colonial Office; and judged by all recent developments in the Mediterranean, the Ethiopian-Munich era is over. In this area at least Britain is acting as it meant business. Confidential information from various Mediterranean capitals shows that statesmen and publicists are convinced that the occupation of Albania, General Sir Charles Bonham-Carter, revealed in a speech on Empire Day that the garrison has been increased from two regiments of artillery to five, and there will soon be a sixth. There used to be two battalions of infantry; now there are four, and they are always at war strength. "The coast defences," the Governor continued, "are steadily increasing in power. The strength of the air defences has been more than doubled since last September."

During the Ethiopian crisis in 1935 the British fleet scuttled out of Malta without waiting to count 10. Had war broken out, it would likewise have had to abandon Alexandria, where it had taken shelter. All Egyptian bases, including the Suez Canal, were then undefended; Italian submarines and bombers would have met very little resistance. Indeed, British naval officers made no secret of their intention to clear out of the Mediterranean in case of hostilities and take up a position west of Gibraltar. Hasty efforts were made to develop the African route to the Far East. Even during the crisis in 1938, the British fleet hastily abandoned all positions east of Alexandria. But all this is now ancient history. Although aided by Germany to a greater extent than ever, Italy has been steadily losing ground, while Britain and, to a lesser extent, France have regained old positions.

ITALY'S PLAN

Until recently Italian strategy was calculated on the basis of swift, decisive strokes delivered at disjointed points in a Blitzkrieg. For a purpose, close to half a million men have been kept permanently under arms in various Mediterranean and African posts outside of Italy, ready for instant action: 120,000 Italian soldiers have been stationed in Libya, 150,000 in Africa, 40,000 in Albania, 80,000 in Rhodes and the Dodecanese. Last but not least, according to Glustizia e Libertà, there are about 100,000 Italian soldiers still in Spain. The intention was to hurl the Libyan forces, undoubtedly the best equipped, against Tunis, while the African troops, aided by aircraft and submarines, would stage a rapid descent into the Sudan and Egypt. The French garrison at Djibouti would be in no position to offer any resistance, and the Suez Canal practically demilitarized, would hardly be a serious obstacle. At the same time, rebellions in the Arab countries, which had been carefully prepared by Axis propaganda, would engage the isolated British garrisons. Naval and air forces from the mainland and from the various fortified islands would be more than sufficient to deal with any resistance, particularly on the part of the Italian army.

LINKS STRENGTHENED

In Egypt gigantic efforts are being made to build a war machine in record time. The infantry has grown from 12,000 to 29,000 during the last four months; a motorized division of 6,500 men has been formed; the air force has been strengthened by about 200 new planes; and huge quantities of armaments have been purchased in England. Lawrence's guerrilla experience during the World War has prompted the government to start forming Bedouin battalions to harass the invading army from Libya, and Britain has completed arrangements with the Egyptians for quartering Indian troops. But these forces are certainly inadequate to protect the long borders against a double attack. Britain is now paying for her policy of refusing to allow the Egyptians a trained army during the last 50 years. The native officers are admittedly bad and the army is inexperienced. It would take five years to execute the plan drawn up about two months ago to build 23 ships costing \$40,000,000 and to raise the army to 120,000 men.

But even this limited plan is no longer as foolproof as it appeared when first evolved. The last four months have witnessed profound changes in the balance of forces in this part of the world. From Gibraltar to Istanbul and from Greece to the Indian Ocean the British have been repairing Empire fences at breakneck speed. Nothing is being overlooked. Large dumps of military supplies have been established in all strategic centres; food for civil populations is being stored under the direction of experts from London; aircraft precautions have undergone a complete reorganization. Blackouts have been held in Near Eastern cities which had considered themselves as safe as the desert. The distribution of gas masks to the civil population has been taken in hand. Above all, local forces are being raised everywhere to cope with sudden attacks. The number of British battalions overseas, excluding those in India and Burma, has increased to 28; the Middle East Command of the Royal Air Force, already counting nine squadrons, is being rapidly augmented.

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SPENCER FOODS

THURSDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE		
Veal Steaks	Breasts Veal	Shanks Veal
Per lb. 16c	Per lb. 10c	Per lb. 10c
Stew Beef, 2 lbs. 27c	Minced Steak, lb.	13c
Oxford Sausage, lb. 11c	Shoulder Steak, lb.	15c
Blade Roasts, lb. 15c	Cross Rib Roasts, lb.	17c
Pork Steaks, lb. 21c	FOWL	Milk-fed, undrawn, lb. 18c
Pork Chops, lb. 25c		
SPENCER'S FIRST-GRADE BUTTER		
Fresh Made—Sold Fresh—It's Better		
Pride, 3 lbs. 94c	Springfield, lb. 31c	3 lbs. 91c
Pure Lard	Pride Shortening	Beef Dripping
Per lb. 9c	Per lb. 11c	Per lb. 6c
Side Bacon Sliced, lb.	Cottage Cheese	Large Eggs
33c	10c	doz. 40c
SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED		
Legs Lamb Whole, lb.	Lamb Chops	Minced Round Steak, lb.
27c	28c	25c
Beef Liver, lb.		

Radio Programs

Tonight

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Fred Waring in Pleasure Time—KOMO, KPO.
"How Was Made for Living," drama—KJR, KGO.
Star Theatre—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Songs of the West—KOMO.
Munich Broadcast—KOMO at 5:15.
Hedelberg Concert—KQ at 5:05.

5.30

Paul Caron—KOMO, KPO.
Percy Faith's Music—CBR.
Thomas Conrad Sawyer—KOL.
Phantom Pilot—KOL at 5:45.

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Kay Kyer's College—KOMO, KPO.
Columbia Concert—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Maurice Spitzman's Orchestra—CBR.
Raymond Gram Swings—KOL.
Adventures—KOL at 6:15.

6.30

Joe Louis vs. Bob Pastor in 20-round heavyweight championship bout—KJR, KGO, CBR.
American Viewpoints—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Romance in Rhythm—KOL at 6:45.

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Fred Waring's Pennsylvanians—KOMO, KPO.
Amos 'n Andy—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Western Washington Fair—KOL.
Lum and Abner—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 7:15.
Johnny Davis' Orchestra—KOL at 7:15.

7.30

Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Horace Heidt's Orchestra—KGO.
The Whitehorns' Show—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Lone Ranger—KOL.

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What's My Name?—KOMO, KPO.
Coast League Baseball—KJR.
Home Run Bound, Phil Baker—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Everyman Theatre—CBR.
Alvino Rey and vocalist—KOL.
Dance Orchestra—KOMO at 8:15.
Coast League Baseball—KQ at 8:15.
Ship Fields Orchestra—KOL at 8:15.

8.30

George Jessel's Celebrities—KOMO, KPO.
Nat Brash's Music Orchestra—KIRO, KVI.
Carson Miner—CBR.
Emil Coleman's Orchestra—KOL.

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Almanac—KFO.
Jerry Livingston's Orchestra—KNX, KVI.
Percy Harvey's Orchestra—CBR.
Newspaper of the Air—KOL.
Dance Orchestra—KOMO at 9:15.
World Series—KOL at 9:15.

9.30

Carl Ravazzio's Orchestra—KFO.
Harry Owen's Orchestra—KNO, KVI.
Marie Dressler's Orchestra—CBR.
Hal Grayson's Orchestra—KOL.
Sports Mirror—KFO at 9:45.
Newspaper—KVI at 9:45.
William Green, president of A.F. of L.—KOL at 9:45.

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News Flashes—KFO, KPO.
Clark Rose—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Jed Clampett—CBR.
Music—Marcelline's Orchestra—KOL.
Blue Moonlight—KOMO at 10:15.
Nightcap Yarns—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 10:15.
Rhythm Rascals—KOL at 10:15.

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Del Milne's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO.
Edith Lorand's Orchestra—KNO, KVI.
Dance—CBR.
Ted Lewis' Orchestra—KOL.

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Gary Nottingham's Orchestra—KOMO, KPO, CBR.
World on Parade—KFO.
Paul Carson—KJR at 11:20.
Charlie Barnett's Orchestra—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 11:15.

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Police Recital—KOMO, KPO.
Goldberg—KIRO, KNX, KVI.
Helen Glavin—CBR.
Opening of Special Session of Congress—KFO, KGO, KQ at 8:45.
Our Gal Sunday—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8:45.
Pellman, Richardson Strings—CBR at 8:45.

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Jingletone—Gazette—KFO.
Al Gilbert's Trio—CBR.
Jimmy Shields—KOL.

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When a Girl Marries—KIRO, KNX, KVI at 8:15.
Sally's Salutes—KOL at 8:15.

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Pioneer Families United at Home Wedding

Miss Myfanwy Spencer
Bride Today of
Mr. Donald Campbell

Two well-known pioneer families were united by the quiet wedding solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, "Hael-y-Bryn," Joan Crescent this afternoon at 1:30, when Myfanwy, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Williams Spencer, became the bride of Mr. James Duncan Donald Campbell, only son of Mrs. D. E. Campbell, Linden Avenue, and the late Duncan E. Campbell.

Rev. A. E. Whitehouse performed the ceremony, and during the simple service Mrs. G. G. McGeer of Vancouver, aunt of the bride, sang the Lord's Prayer, accompanied by Mr. Edward Parsons.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in her gown of palest gold lame, made on fitted lines and buttoned at the back, with a train and long, tight-fitting sleeves. Her veil of eggshell illusion net fell from a coronet of the lame, and she carried a bouquet in pale gold tones.

Mrs. Pierre Dumaine, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Mary Campbell, sister of the bridegroom, Miss Josephine Ritter and Miss Terese Todd were bridesmaids, all wearing gowns of redwood velvet molded to the figure, with the new back fullness, and long, tight sleeves. They wore hats composed of a gold mesh snood, with a front cluster of ostrich tips in redwood and lichen green, tied with redwood velvet ribbons, and carried sheaves of chrysanthemums.

The three little flower-girls, Miss Anne (Bubbins) Spencer, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Victor Spencer, Vancouver, and the Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Molson, daughters of Capt. and Mrs. Hobart Molson, wore frocks of lichen green satin, with tight bodices, full skirts and short puff sleeves, worn with tiny heart-shaped hats of the green satin adorned with tiny ostrich tips in the two tones, and redwood velvet sheaths.

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Mrs. C. Collen and her mother, Mrs. Bowden, who have been spending a few days in Victoria, left today for their home at Oliver, B.C.

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Mrs. R. H. Devitt of Robson, B.C., accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Devitt of Castlegar, B.C., are visiting Mrs. E. A. Argyle, Blanshard Street, mother of the bridegroom, was becomingly gowned in periwinkle blue sheer, with matching lace top, and a brief, fitted coat of the sheer, and a periwinkle blue hat, with a matching ostrich plume curling over the upturned brim.

After their honeymoon, for which the bride left in a smart suit of brown woolen, with matching turban, and a short coat of brown fox, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will make their home in Victoria.

Among the many beautiful gifts was a handsome silver tea tray, from "the managers and old-time members" of the staff of David Spencer Limited, Victoria. Miss Aida Broadbent and her mother, Mrs. Broadbent of Los Angeles, and her aunt, Mrs. Alfred Ainscough of Victoria, went over to Vancouver this afternoon on a short visit with friends there.

Mrs. T. J. McCrossan of Seattle has come over to Victoria to visit her sisters, the Misses Spencer, Moss Street, and was among the out-of-town guests at the Campbell-Spencer wedding that took place this afternoon.

Mrs. D. Gillan entertained at a tea cup and saucer shower Sunday afternoon in honor of Mrs. H. Portingale, formerly Miss Gertrude Wood, whose marriage took place recently. Mrs. Portingale received a corsage of small pink dahlias when she arrived, and her gifts from a mauve-and-pink decorated barrel. The guests included: Mesdames J. Wilson, S. Fraser, A. Slocombe and L. Smith, and the Misses Ola Peat, Ruth Pedlingham, Bessie and Olive Milne, Lillian Wood and Eleanor Mackenzie.

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Fairfield United Church W.M.S. will hold a "Rally" lunch in the schoolroom tomorrow at 1. Mrs. Black from Manchuria will be the speaker.



This photo, transmitted by cable from London, shows the Duchess of Kent making surgical splints at her country home in Buckinghamshire now turned into the Ivor Cottage Hospital, as all England bends every effort in the war-with Germany.

Social and Personal

Miss Erna McWha of Vancouver, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McWha, Linden Avenue.

Mr. Terrence Fitzpatrick, Linklater Avenue, has left to spend some months at the Reno Mine, Salmo, Sheep Creek, B.C.

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Messrs. Bob McLean, Fairfield Road; Bob Gonnason, Catherine Street, and Bill Tysoe of Gordon Head will leave tomorrow for Seattle to enter the University of Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Fawcett of Boise, Idaho, who have been spending the last few weeks with Mr. Fawcett's sister, Miss A. J. Fawcett, Menzies Street, left today for their home in Victoria.

Mrs. George White and Mrs. M. L. Larson presided at the tea-table which was covered with a lace cloth and centred with a bowl of zinnias, flanked by green candles in silver holders. During the afternoon an appeal was made for donations of wool to be knitted into socks for the men of the regiment, and the hope was expressed that wives of ex-members of the regiment will join the auxiliary.

Miss Kathleen Berry, whose marriage to Mr. Stanley Fraser will take place on Saturday, was the guest of honor Monday evening at a surprise shower given by Miss Helen Todd at the home of Mrs. Fife, Carnes Avenue. On her arrival the guest was presented with a corsage of small pink dahlias when she arrived, and her gifts from a mauve-and-pink decorated barrel. The guests included: Mesdames J. Wilson, S. Fraser, A. Slocombe and L. Smith, and the Misses Ola Peat, Ruth Pedlingham, Bessie and Olive Milne, Lillian Wood and Eleanor Mackenzie.

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Weddings

SCOTNEY—NIVEN

A quiet wedding was solemnized by Rev. J. L. W. McLean at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Saturday afternoon, September 16, between Rachel, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. Mackie Niven and Walter Bramwell Scottney, son of the late Reginald Norman Scottney of Elk-horn, Manitoba, and Mrs. Scottney of Vancouver.

LAWSON—NELSON

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday evening, September 16, at the home of the bride, 722 Kings Road, Rev. E. Bracher of Grace Lutheran Church officiating, when Lillian C., elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nelson, became the bride of Mr. Charles H. Lawson, only son of Mr. C. A. Lawson, Regina Avenue, Saanich.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and was attended by her sister, Miss Alfreda Nelson. The groom was supported by Mr. Howard Winterton.

BAXTER—NICHOLSON

White gladioli, asters and pink and mauve chrysanthemums were used as a background for the pretty wedding solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Garvie, Vancouver, last Saturday evening at 8 for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Russell Nicholson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Nicholson, 501 Niagara Street, Victoria, to John Bruce Baxter, of Comox Street, Vancouver, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Baxter, 113 Topaz Avenue, Victoria.

Rev. George Pringle performed the ceremony in the presence of relatives and intimate friends of the young couple. The bride, given in marriage by her father, was a black tailored costume of sheer wool trimmed with grey fir, and accessories to match, with a corsage bouquet of white gladioli and rosebuds.

A reception was held after the wedding, the bride's mother receiving in a gown of blue marquisette, with a corsage of pink carnations, assisted by the mother of the groom, who wore a tan costume with a corsage bouquet of carnations. Mrs. J. Garvie was gowned in black lace, with a corsage bouquet of gladioli and carnations, and the bride's sister, Miss Lenora Trickett, superintended a pretty appointed table, centred with a lace cloth and centred with white sweet peas and carnations, and green taper in glass candlesticks. The wedding cake stood on the bride's table which was covered with a lace cloth and adorned with double tapers.

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After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter will reside in Vancouver.

EDWARDS—RELF

The marriage of Jessie Chambers, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Relf, 1022 Southgate Street, and Mr. Reginald Byron Edwards, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Edwards, 2714 Cedar Hill Road, was quietly solemnized in Christ Church Cathedral last evening at 8:30 o'clock, Rev. E. W. Slater of the Northern British Columbia Coast Mission, officiating. Pink gladioli and goldenrod decorated the chancel. Mr. Stanley Bulley, cathedral organist, played the wedding music.

Mr. Relf gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a princess gown of pink with lace top and very full skirt of net, and her waist-length veil was worn with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of Rapture roses, white carnations and white heather. Miss Vera Edwards, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid in a frock of rose chiffon, with shirred jacket, and a cap of matching tulip with a cluster of pink flowers on the top and smaller ones on each side. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and maidenhair fern. Mr. Joe Travis was best man, and Mr. Jack Relf and Mr. Chester Wilson were ushers.

Following the service a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. A three-tier cake centred the lace-covered supper table between tall tapers and vases of pink and white carnations and trailing asparagus fern. Mrs. Relf was dressed in bolero frock of black and white pebble crepe with matching accessories, and receiving with her was the bridegroom's mother, in a blue redingote frock, a blue hat and white accessories. They both wore shoulder bouquets of white carnations.

After a motor trip, Mr. and Mrs. Edwards will make their home at 3064 Highview Drive. The bride left in a smart black outfit with a seal coat. Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Slater, Prince Rupert, and Mrs. G. Thrift, White Rock, B.C., were guests at the wedding.

Plan to Register Women of Island

Mrs. Alan Morkill
In Charge of
Organization Work

Preliminary steps towards the obtaining of a survey of the 150,000 women of Vancouver Island in preparation for any emergency was taken with the appointment yesterday of Mrs. Alan Morkill as provincial vice-president of the Voluntary Registration of Canadian Women.

Mrs. Morkill will be in charge of organization for the island, assisted by a committee including Dr. Olga Jardine, Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. H. S. Hurn, Mrs. J. L. White and Mrs. Norman Kennedy. Mrs. Morkill expects to leave for a 10-day trip through the island for the purpose of stimulating interest in the various districts and appointing local committees to take over the organization of registration in these districts.

The island committee will work in co-operation with the provincial committee, of which Mrs. F. J. Roiston, Vancouver, is chairman, and a Victoria local committee has been formed under the chairmanship of Dr. Olga Jardine.

The present plan for the registration in Victoria is to concentrate the work into a one-week period, October 16 to 23. Between these dates women will be given an opportunity to register at specified places in the city, due publicity of which will be given.

Registration places the registrant under no obligation whatever. The survey is being made merely with the idea of estimating the available woman-power of the country for emergency service, and Miss Margaret Hyndman, K.C., of Toronto is heading the national organization.

The women's union of the First Baptist Church will meet in the church parlor tomorrow. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock, followed by the regular meeting at which the topic will be "India's Rural Millions."

Human Values Cast Aside in War-torn Europe

Says Gladys Arnold,
Of Paris in Talk
To Clubwomen

"The force behind the tragedy of war-torn Europe today is not a philosophical problem of conflicting ideologies but a very old force which in the Middle Ages was called barbarism. The very negation of humanity, this sinister force is eating at the foundations of the human values on which our own civilization rests."

Miss Gladys Arnold, Canadian journalist who has just returned from four years in Continental Europe, sounded this warning note in her interesting address before the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon.

Under the title, "Submerging Humanity in Europe," she vividly described the devastating effects on the spiritual and human values by the events of the last few years in France, Germany and Italy. "There is more real peace in Canada today, when it is at war, than there was in Europe four years ago, when it was supposedly at peace," she declared.

HAUNTING INSECURITY

From week to week haunted by the thought that Hitler was planning to wage war without warning, the people of France had for years been imbued with the feeling of instability and insecurity, the inability to plan for the future. In Paris she found that "you cut all your plans and desires to a 24-hour deadline, and lived just from day to day, not knowing what nightmare the next might bring forth."

But in Germany it was different. In her travels there she found a spirit of preparation and exaltation. All of whom she met said they wanted peace, but at the same time wanted a larger and expanding Germany; the young people believed that they could bring all outside Germans into the Reich without resorting to war.

SINISTER PICTURE

Admittedly the youth of Germany presented a handsome but sinister picture in their regimented activities, but the terrible sameness of them all, their lack of individuality, presented a tragic picture of a youth which derives its force and purpose from a machine and in place of ideals substitutes idolatry for a leader, she observed.

Italy's youth she found more realistic, and they did not look



Social and Personal

Miss Pearl Findlay was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held at the home of Miss Doris Townsend, Craigflower Road. On her arrival the bride-to-be was presented with a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations and a basket prettily decorated with mauve and pink crepe paper, which contained the many gifts. Games were enjoyed during the evening, the winners being Irene Linday and Mrs. E. Carter. Supper was served buffet style from a table centred with mauve and pink sweet peas. The guests were Mesdames F. Findlay, G. A. Hebdon, R. Chatfield, L. Cox, J. Hedley, E. Carter, B. Viggers, F. Mayo, G. Haikala, G. Townsend, Misses Jean Morley, Yvonne Prince, Agnes Johnson, Abbie Townsend, Iona Findlay, Marion Cann, Irene Linday, Ruth McAnerin, Yvonne Warren and Pat Sharpe.

Clubwomen's News

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Vass Russell, who were married at the First United Church Saturday evening by Rev. Hugh A. McLeod. The bride was the former Muriel Robertson Pollock, and was attended by her sister, Jessie, and the groom was supported by his brother, Ted.

Upon Mussolini as a god, yet there she had visited a summer taught the military code, wireless, the use of guns. Defection in attending a political meeting was punished by a night in jail.

CULTURE AT STANDSTILL

Under such conditions, all art and culture had come to a standstill in Europe. Armaments were absorbing the nations' wealth. Scholarships and research were suffering. Human values were being thrown overboard. Humanity was submerging, family units were becoming broken up, soldiers became automatons, and civilians mere cogs in the machine.

Canada today was at war. But never was war entered into with less hate, less illusion and less enthusiasm. Canada entered the war to fight for the preservation of the inalienable right of every human being to plan for the future, to enjoy family life and all those human and spiritual values on which civilization rests, she concluded.

Mrs. James Adam, the new president of the club, presided for the first time at yesterday's meeting. Mrs. W. H. Wilson expressed the members' thanks to the speaker.

CIVIL PROTECTION

Dr. G. F. Davidson gave a brief outline of the work of the provincial committee for the protection of the civilian population, and reminding the women that pending the organization of required services, they could help their country best by "carrying on" and going about their usual business in such a way that they would be ready when the time came to give their help.

Miss Patsy Swift, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Pierre Timp, sang very charmingly three solos, "We Two Together," "O Lovely Night" and "Silent Moon."

CENTENNIAL Y.P.S.

The Centennial Young People's Society met Tuesday evening with the president in the chair and 27 present. The devotional period was arranged by Winnie Kerley and Maude Land taking part. The speakers were Misses Ruth and Mary Peat, who gave a very interesting talk on their trip to England and Scotland. Next week the society will hold a social at the home of the vice-president, Orval Bennett, 160 Gorge Road.

Former Victorian Mauled By Grizzly

BANFF (CP)—Attached by an enraged female grizzly bear with a cub, two persons were injured seriously yesterday as they tramped along the Great Divide, 50 miles northwest of here.

Nicholas Morant, Canadian Pacific Railway press photographer from Montreal, was found by a search party after Christian Haasler, son of a Lake Louise guide, had stumbled five miles to Wapta Lake bungalow near Hector, B.C.

Haasler's legs and one arm were torn by the grizzly which had a cup. Early reports reaching here said Morant was "badly mauled" but extent of his injuries was not known immediately.

Mr. Morant has been with the company more than five years. He joined the press bureau as an office boy at Winnipeg, but soon branched out into the photographic field and is ranked "among the best photographers in the country," according to officials.

About 30 years of age, Morant comes from Kamloops. He attended the University School at Victoria.

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Y.W.C.A. NOTES

Mount View Girls' Hi-Y Club met on Monday afternoon to re-organize for the fall and winter season. Twenty members made application, and the following were elected to hold office for the coming term: President, Muriel Prendergast; vice-president, Jean McAskill; secretary, Marion Combe; treasurer, Dorothy Richdale; publicity convener, Florence Greenwood; songs and ceremonials convener, Phyllis Fox. The next meeting will be held on Monday, September 25, at 3:30 p.m.

The girls of Oak Bay High, Victoria High and the Junior High Schools are reminded of the opening meeting to be held this Friday, September 22, at 7:30 p.m. at the Y.W.C.A. Applications will be received, a social time enjoyed and club elections will take place. Advisers for these clubs will be Misses Kitty Cameron, Winnie Graham, Suzanne Butler, Anne Adamson and Evelyn Rhodes.

The plans for the Presidents' Training Conference, from September 29 to October 1, are taking shape and promise to be of real value to all who can attend. The conference is open to all Hi-Y council members and new club presidents. It is also hoped that several of the Hi-Y advisers will be present. There will be a meeting of the Inter-club Council on Friday at 4:30 p.m. at the Y.W.C.A., when details for the conference will be considered. The conference will be held at Deep Cove.

In the Senior Department the "opening night" is scheduled for September 28, at 8 p.m. Skits, games and music will be part of the evening's fun. Enrollment will also follow for the various clubs and interest groups.

The Royal Bride (Junior) Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Saturday afternoon from 2:15 until 4 o'clock, when Mrs. P. E. Corby and Mrs. William Ellis will be special guests. The chapter's part in the present world crisis will be under discussion during the meeting.

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The inaugural meeting for this season of the Anglican Young People's Association, Langford and Colwood branch, took place on Monday evening in the Canadian Legion Hall, Langford. The president, Kenneth B. Hincks, was in the chair. Rev. R. E. M. Yerburgh welcomed the members and invited them to attend the 15th anniversary service of St. Matthew's Church September 24 at 11. Kathleen Goodall presented

the report of the summer activities in the absence of the secretary, Miss Ethel Brown. Report of the Local Council meeting was given. The annual meeting with election of officers will be held October 2.

OAKLANDS RED CROSS

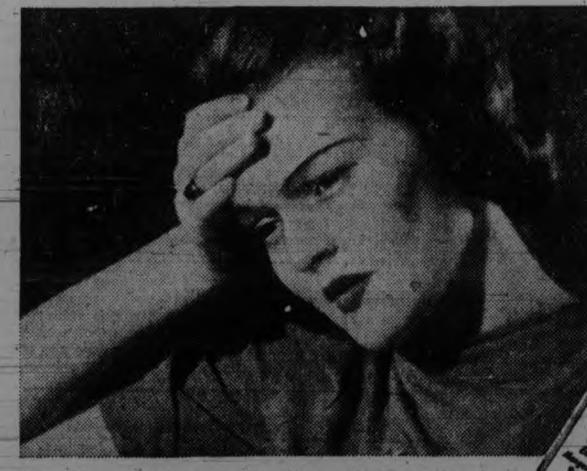
A meeting will be held in Oaklands School on Friday afternoon at 3:30 to organize a Red Cross unit for the district. Miss F. FitzGibbon will address the meeting, and it is hoped all interested women of the district will attend.

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MADE IN CANADA

Pioneer City Firms Joined

Acquisition of the firm of Lee and Fraser Co. Ltd. pioneer real estate and financial house of Victoria, was announced today by P. R. Brown, managing director of P. R. Brown and Sons Ltd.

The purchase of the former company's interests joined two of the longest-established houses in the city under one management.

Under present plans, the purchasers will gradually transfer all business to the head office at 1112 Broad Street. Arrangements are also being made by the new owners to absorb the present staff of the newly acquired interests.

Lee and Fraser Co. Ltd. was founded in Victoria in 1889 by the late Arthur Lee and Alex B. Fraser. It retained its identity continuously through the suc-



E. F. BURTON,
Manager Mortgage and Sales
Department

firm handled a conservative business in mortgages, rentals, sales and general financing.

The new owners date their establishment in Victoria back to 1899 by the late P. R. Brown and have carried on business of a similar nature to that of Lee and Fraser for the last 40 years.

In addition to conducting an extensive private mortgage business, the concern handles National Housing Loans and private company loans, operating on the same stable policy of its founder.

No change will be undertaken in the direction of the enlarged firm. P. R. Brown will continue as managing director, T. A. Brown as manager of the insurance department and E. F. Burton the mortgage and sales departments.

All three are native sons of Victoria enjoying the confidence of the public generally.

Hear Protest Against Track

ceding half century and was taken over by P. R. Brown and Sons Ltd. late last week, following the death of Mr. Lee on



P. R. BROWN,
Managing Director

The Zoning Appeal Board of Saanich yesterday afternoon heard a petition of protest filed against the construction of an automobile race track on the McRae property, between Derby Road and Queensbury Avenue.

The board, under the chairmanship of H. C. Oldfield, deferred decision on the appeal until it has had an opportunity to view the site.

The application for the construction of the track was made to the council by A. D. Frumento and the permit was granted after considerable debate on a split vote of the council. About 20 ratepayers appeared yesterday to oppose the track and Mr. Frumento also addressed the board.

CHIEF CABLE CENSOR
OTTAWA (CP)—Capt. W. W. Murray of the parliamentary staff of the Canadian Press has been appointed chief cable censor of the Department of National Defence. It was announced the rank of lieutenant-colonel went with the appointment.

Grasshoppers may travel several hundred miles within a few days.

T. A. BROWN,
Manager Insurance Dept.

August 17. It has been widely known as the representative of the London, Liverpool and Globe Insurance Co. and the Caledonia Fire Insurance Company. The

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8,000,000 Square Miles—But She Seizes More



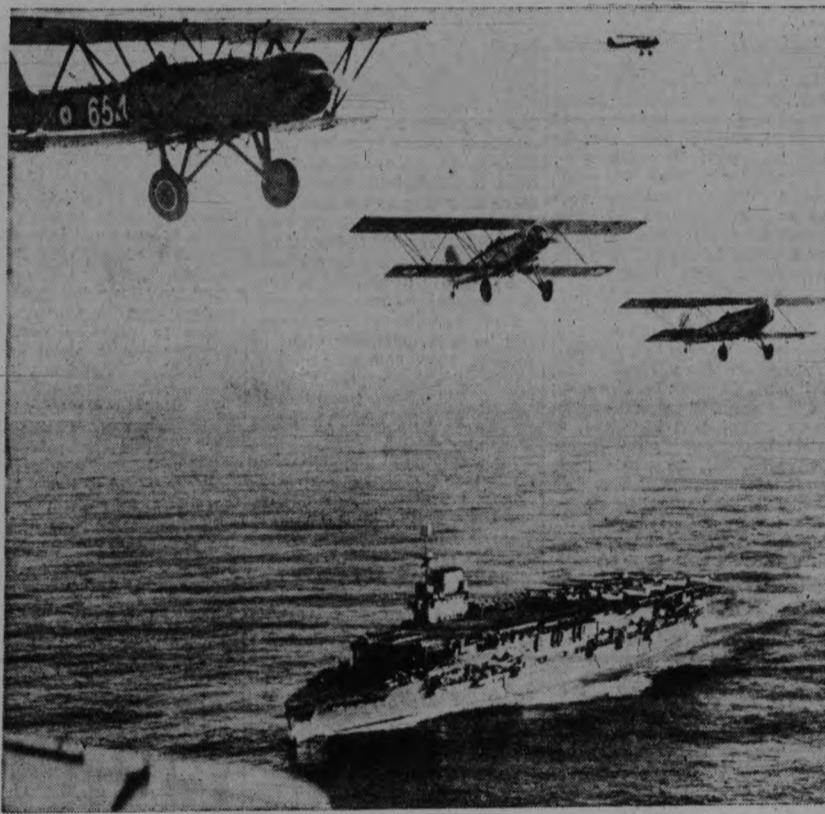
Huge spreading across the top of the world map, lies the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. The map gives some conception of the vast territory—8,000,000 square miles—the great population—more than 147,013,600—and the immensely valuable resources, shown by

the figures on the map, which Russia commands. Russia has declared her intentions to stay neutral in the second World War, although last week end she joined Germany in the new partition of Poland, to add to her already tremendous area what in comparison

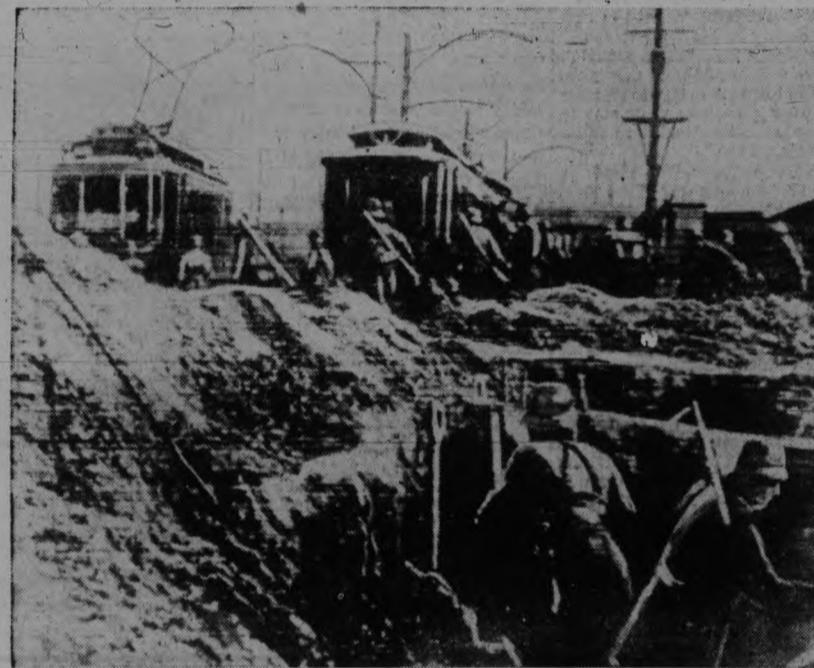
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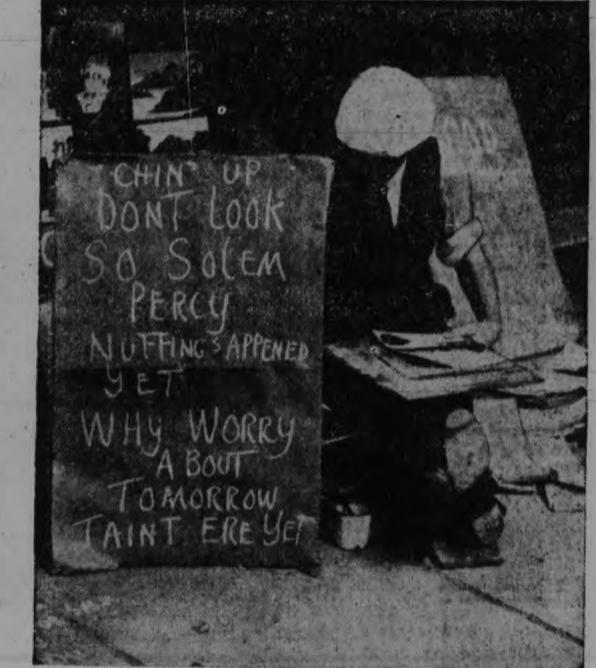
NO. 1 ENEMY AT 'CHOW'—World-upsetter must eat when he's in the field, and here's Adolf Hitler (left), Reich's self-styled "first soldier" drawing his rations at a mobile kitchen near the Polish front. (Radiophoto).



BEFORE SHE WAS TORPEDOED—Late picture in war action of British aircraft carrier Courageous, reported "lost by submarine action" at an undisclosed spot off the coast of Great Britain. She carried a complement of 1,216 men. (Acme telephoto).



OVER THE TOP IN WARSAW—German troops use dismantled street cars as a shield while storming a Polish machine-gun nest in the suburbs of Warsaw. (Acme telephoto).



NUFFIN'S APPENED YET—This sidewalk artist in Hyde Park attempts to lighten the anxiety of Londoners with this placard, which draws smiles from passersby.



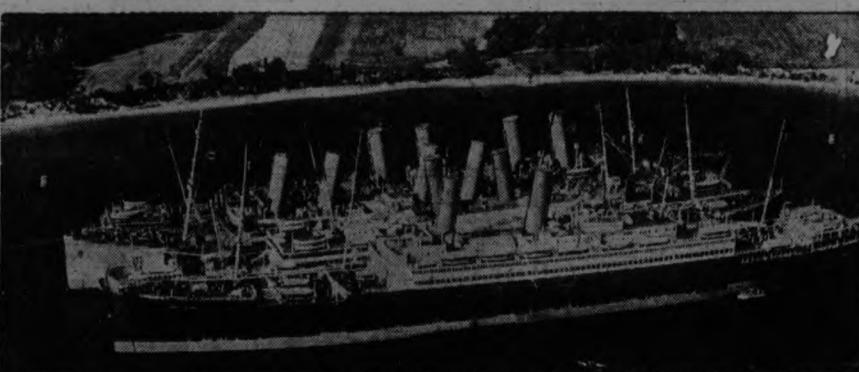
CHIVALRY TRADITIONAL WITH THE AIR FORCES—Honoring the bravery and the rank of their enemies, German officers, including aviators, attend funeral of French fliers shot down near Saarbruecken during an attack on the West Wall. (Acme radio-telephoto).



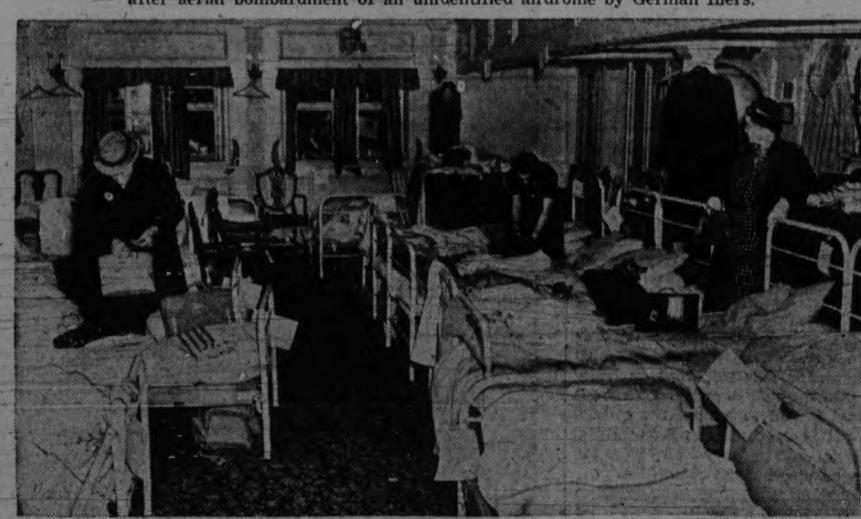
WAR PLANES DESTROYED—The crumpled wreckage pictured above is the remains of Polish planes after aerial bombardment of an unidentified airfield by German fliers.



LEAD RUSSIAN ARMY ADVANCE—Great Russian tanks roll across the Polish eastern frontier as Stalin prepares to divide Poland with Hitler.



“GHOST FLEET” MAY COME TO LIFE—Uncle Sam's “ghost fleet” of 113 vessels—remnant of the wartime trans-Atlantic crossing was the U.S. liner Roosevelt, which brought in 539 passengers, 135 can sail after fleeing the European war, passengers crowd the decks end, they are in good condition. Above, some of the ships at Solomon's Island, Maryland.



TRANS-ATLANTIC DORMITORY—Among trans-Atlantic ships that safely outsped the dangers of a POLISH SHIP DOCKS SAFELY—Eager to set foot on safe American “bridge of ships” to Europe in the World War—may be resurrected. Laid up since the war's over capacity. The photo shows the ship's great social hall, turned into an emergency dormitory, with some of the women passengers packing up for their arrival in New York.



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Heavyweight Fight

Joe Louis Now
7 to 1 ChoiceSports
Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

BOB PASTOR has gone through 25 college football games as a blocking back and 46 professional prize fights without a mark. The dent in Joe Louis' challenger's nose is a memento of an automobile accident when he was a youngster. His only scar is an ugly one above the ankle, a souvenir of his amateurishness as a woodsman last fall. Pastor has never been cut in a fight. He has never bled. There isn't the slightest trace of a cauliflower ear. Of course that may all be changed after his meeting with the Brown Bomber tonight.

Pastor must have something. Abe Attell was most concerned about an unmarked opponent. The famous featherweight champion believed in signs... signs that told him he was bumping into someone hard to hit.

Pastor has trained for his 20-rounder with Louis in the good old-fashioned way.

His assortment of punches, blocking, slipping of blows and footwork against sparring partners of the highest type, and his condition have whirled such keen observers as Kid McCoy, trickiest of all fighting men, and Jack Kearns, who brought out Jack Dempsey, into ecstasies.

McCoy and Kearns give him a great chance provided he survives Louis' early fire.

A Pastor victory would be a richly-deserved reward for James J. Johnston, who has searched for a heavyweight champion for 40 years.

Jimmy Johnston, 64 now, has had five world champions, but never has come down in front with the big apple.

Bold Mike McGligue twice held the 175-pound leadership under his guidance. James J. handled welter rulers in Ted Kid Lewis and Pete Latzo, Lewis enjoying two terms. James J. had Harry Greb as the 160-pound king, and Johnny Dundee as feather foreman. He managed the brilliant British champion, Jim Driscoll, and Owen Moran.

He made a fortune with Phanting Phil Scott, the Swooning Swan.

During the height of the Jack Johnson white hope era, Johnston inserted ads in New York dailies inviting young men of considerable size to participate in a tournament after a period of free schooling. More than 5,000 applicants created a traffic jam in front of his Broadway office. The winner of the tournament quit cold in his first fight out of it.

When he believed he saw heavyweight possibilities in one Jim Sigmund, Johnston spent \$5,000 in his development which failed to materialize.

Bob Pastor turned to Johnston when Joe Welling, the one-time lightweight crack, died. It was Welling who developed the New York University lad as a simon-pure.

Johnston is supremely confident that he has attained his goal in Pastor.

He will be bitterly disappointed if the New York-bred warrior falls, but will continue the search.

Jimmy Johnston will never be ruled out for not trying.

That is why he has remained at or near the top in the profession... as fighter, manager, matchmaker and promoter... for all these years.

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Tale of Tape On
Louis and Pastor

DETROIT (AP)—The tale of the tape on heavyweight champion Joe Louis and challenger Bob Pastor for their title bout tonight follows:

Louis	Pastor
200 pounds	25 years
6 ft. 1 1/2 in.	187 pounds
70 inches	5 ft. 11 1/2 in.
Chest (normal)	43 inches
44 inches	47 inches
10 1/2 inches	17 1/2 inches
14 inches	18 inches
12 1/2 inches	13 inches
8 inches	11 inches
22 1/2 inches	21 inches
10 inches	18 inches
Ankle	10 inches

Basketball

Westerns Back
From Long Tour

VANCOUVER (CP)—Vancouver Westerns came home last night from a two-month basketball tour of Japan with an enviable record—but traveling “on the cuff.”

Louis fully intends to knock Pastor kicking in the first round. Bookmakers around town are offering odds of 7 to 1 against Pastor's chances, and doing practically no business at all.

Pastor has a chance, of course.

He is young, is an exceptionally clever boxer and hits pretty well.

He claims he might knock Louis out.

It could happen, one supposes.

After all, Jim Braddock was even a longer shot against Max Baer.

Tony Galento was generally felt to be a set-up for Lou Nova last week in Philadelphia. Nothing is certain in boxing, particularly since fighters have their “on” night and their “off” nights.

Financially, the fight is assured

success. Promoter Mike Jacobs had a \$300,000 advance sale a couple of days ago, and is certain the fight will draw between \$400,000 and \$500,000, with some \$40,000 or \$50,000 of the faithful on deck.

Tennis

Veteran Tilden
Returns to U.S.

NEW YORK (AP)—The big “T” man is in town, with no more idea where the next bounce will take him than one of those fur-bearing tennis balls he practically skinned with every serve.

There is only one “T” in tennis, and he is William Tate Tilden, the man who made big business out of a racquet. He arrived on the United States liner Washington with several hundred other hurry-humers, convinced that two and a half years abroad is just enough, particularly at this time.

He looks about the same as when he left, does “Big Bill.” He still has that long, lean, hungry look. His thinning hair is perpetually at high tide, his eyelids droop sleepily, and his gestures are the same quick, slightly movements which intrigued galleries from Forest Hills to the Malay Peninsula.

And if he does say so himself, he never played better in his life than he's playing right now.

“We—Don Budge, Lee Stoenf, Ellsworth Vines and I—played quite a bit in England, and also Paris, Bordeaux and Marseilles,” he said. “Budge is the greatest player I ever saw. He has everything. I think I won two out of nine matches with him. Stoenf has improved tremendously.”

“We were planning to leave for South Africa last Thursday, to start our world tour, but decided it wasn't such a good idea to be world touring right now.”

**Canadian Wheat
Stocks Up**

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian wheat in store during the week ended September 15 totaled 221,952,832 bushels compared with 180,731,302 the previous week and 103,006,259 in the same week last year, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports. Canadian wheat in the United States amounted to 8,276,000 bushels compared with 7,330,000 the previous week.

Overseas Force

TORONTO (CP)—Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the Conservative opposition in the senate warns North America that her frontiers lie in Europe in the present conflict.

The former Dominion prime minister, now 65 years old, addressing an audience of 2,000 here under the auspices of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, said:

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Health Services Seen As Vital

Vital public health services will be more than ever necessary in wartime and must be kept up to full organization, Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, said today.

The minister said experts of the health department under Dr. H. E. Young, provincial health officer, are actively working with the civilian protection committees to ensure that adequate steps are taken to guard the public health.

Previous records show that during wartime there is an increase in disease. Special steps are needed to prevent them reaching epidemic proportions and the health officers have these in hand.

CHAMBER TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held Monday evening at 6:30 in Spencer's dining room. Reports will be given and the new president and board of directors introduced. Reservations should be made for the supper meeting at E7191.

The new board of directors will be chosen Friday afternoon when the final of the balloting will be held. Twelve members have been nominated for the directorate. They are: P. W. Bell, L. F. Osborne, T. M. Little, G. C. Parrott, C. W. Sturley, E. E. Peden, E. H. Harris, Logan Mayhew, G. M. Terry, Donald E. Brake, A. M. Hall and Hugh Francis. Five will be chosen for a two-year term and two in a one-year term. Jack Hartree, Thomas Watkins and Thomas L. Sturges still have a year to serve on the directorate. The president will be elected by the directors.

Ernest H. Harris, B.C. director of the Canadian Junior Chamber of Commerce, who represented Victoria at the national convention in Calgary recently, will give his report on the convention.

The health committee was asked to deal with a letter from Jas. A. Griffith regarding the polluted condition of the Gorge.

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W.C.T.U. REPORTS SHOW PROGRESS

Superintendents' reports occupied the attention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union at its annual provincial session held in the Emmanuel Baptist Church this morning, with about 40 delegates in attendance from all parts of British Columbia, Mrs. James Gray, of Vancouver, the president, in the chair.

Superintendents' reports were presented as follows: Sunday school, Mrs. G. Hind; medal contest, Mrs. S. A. Cracknell; civics, Mrs. R. Reilly; school of methods, Mrs. J. A. Gillespie; exhibits and fairs, Mrs. Fred Harris; public and parlor meetings, Mrs. J. R. Stead; legislation and petition, Dr. H. G. McGill; S.T.I. among university students, Mrs. R. C. Weldon; parliamentary usage, Mrs. Paul Smith, M.P.P.

The report of the Provincial W.C.T.U. Home was given by Mrs. W. Russell, the secretary. She gave a short review of the work during the 50 years of its existence, from the vision of the need by a few women, especially mentioning the late Mrs. David Spencer. Mrs. Wm. Grant is the only charter member of the committee with us today, she noted.

Mrs. F. W. Laing opened the executive meeting yesterday afternoon with prayer, especially remembering the faithful men and women who have carried on the work for so many years. Mrs. James Gray, president, gave a helpful and inspiring message and was presented with a corsage by Rockland Park Union.

Last night's program followed a "get-together" supper. Mrs. James Gray, the president, recorded for the assembled delegates and other members and friends, Mrs. A. C. Skerton, recording secretary, conducted roll call and read the report of the executive committee, other reports being read by the corresponding secretary, Miss Grace Fulton. The treasurer, Mrs. John Macpherson, and Mrs. A. Cantell, recorded for evangelistic activities. Mrs. G. Lanning gave the White Ribbon Tidings. Appointment of credentials, resolutions, plan of work, obituary, budget, courtesy and banners committees was made. Mrs. Dearborn gave two recitations.

Mrs. Dirks conducted the consecration service. Miss Fulton showed in her report an increase in membership and givings and interest, especially among young women's unions. Diverse work has been done during the year, including study of laws in connection with temperance work and sewing for the needs of the provincial home.

Lieutenant-Governor Eric W. Hamber will officiate at the formal opening of the new building of the Cowichan Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., at Duncan on Saturday. The ceremony will take place at 4, and afternoon tea will be served by the Legion women's auxiliary. During the evening there will be a smoker with prominent speakers.

B. I. Association

Addressing the Victoria British-Israel Association in the Y.M.C.A. hall last night on the subject, "The Only Way Out," E. W. Abraham, president of the association, stressed the fact that "as a so-called democracy we have been greatly to blame, ourselves, for the present war, even though Hitler may be the direct and immediate cause of it. We should have forgiven our enemies after the Great War, and bound up their wounds, instead of trying to squeeze as much as possible out of them in the way of reparations," he said.

He continued, "the only way out, now, is to return to God and the Bible, which contains the only remedy for the conditions of today. This war was foreseen thousands of years ago, and we can only find the way out by studying the ancient prophets, and the whole Bible, for the solution. We must be prepared to give our lives, and everything we possess, in order to win this battle of right against might."

GUNS IN ACTION

On the western front, where the French general staff's morning communiqué reported only German artillery fire, the armies appeared to have been held in leash pending clarification of the diplomatic situation.

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The French general staff, watching the situation closely, was reported taking precautions to meet "any eventuality."

What measures were being taken remained a military secret, but informed persons believed they included strengthening of French positions along the French-Belgian frontier with the British Army co-operating.

Official reports on the progress of hostilities claimed several successes and voiced satisfaction with operations on the naval front. A semi-official announcement said "four or five" German submarines had been sunk by French warships—these in addition to a U-boat destroyed Monday night.

TOWN TOPICS

V. Marsh, 1176 Yates Street, reported to city police last night he had \$200 worth of fishing tackle in a basket stolen from his car while it was parked on View Street.

Theft of \$35 cash and a quantity of milk-tickets from the Registered Jersey Dairies, 608 Broughton Street, was reported to city police. The theft occurred overnight.

The electrical dealers' group of the retail merchants' section of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will hold a luncheon meeting tomorrow at 12 in Spencer's dining room.

Appointment of Alex Patterson and Ivan Hurndlal to the advisory board of the Sumas Drainage and Diking Development district was announced here today. This increases the board to five members.

The Victoria branch of the Kipling Society will hold its opening meeting of the season on Tuesday next at 8 in Room 301, Union Building, View Street. A social evening with refreshments is planned.

Owing to the unexpectedly large registration in the women's first aid class sponsored by the St. John Ambulance Association (Victoria Centre) at the Chamber of Commerce, those who registered last Wednesday night are requested to attend tonight at 7 o'clock instead of 8 in order that the class may be divided and assigned to different halls.

Registration of civic voters will continue at the City Hall until the end of October, M. F. Hunter, city clerk, stated today. Those who are entitled to the franchise, but have not yet listed their names on the voters list are asked to register without delay to avoid conjection during the last few days the list is open.

Members of Women's Institutes are being advised by Mrs. V. S. McLachlan, superintendent of women's institutes for the province to pay particular attention to the canning and preserving of fruits this year in view of a probable wartime increase in prices. Methods of preserving without the use of sugar are suggested and women are invited to write to the Department of Agriculture for the necessary information.

A meeting of all parents, teachers and friends interested in the formation of a Parent-Teacher Association for the Monterey School district will be held in the Monterey School auditorium tomorrow evening at 7:45. Capt. F. G. Dexter will preside. P. E. George, president of the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council and president of the Quadra Parent-Teacher Association and Mrs. E. G. Day, sixth vice-president of the British Columbia P.T.A. and president of the James Bay Parent-Teacher Association will speak. Officers and conveners of committees will be elected for the ensuing year.

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French attention shifted to the Aachen (Aix-la-chapelle) sector opposite Belgium, where the Germans were reported massing reinforcements coming from Poland. French advices asserted precautions already had been taken to meet any German repetition of the 1914 attack through Belgium to outflank the Maginot Line.

The cabinet communiqué, which was the first formal statement of French policy since the start of the European conflict September 3, implied firm rejection of any German overtures for peace on Nazi terms such as were read here into Adolf Hitler's speech at Danzig yesterday.

The new measures approved by the cabinet, which was in session for three hours, were described in the communiqué as "military, economic and financial." Their exact nature will become known only on publication in the official journal.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

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AYLARD—At Royal Jubilee Hospital, Sep-
tember 19, 1939, to Mr. and Mrs. A. W.
Aylard of Sidney, B.C., a son.DIED
MACKIE—On September 19, 1939, at Royal
Jubilee Hospital, Robert Mackie, aged 86
years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mackie
of Victoria for 16 years. Sur-
vived by a grandson, Wilfred New-
comb, of Vancouver.Funeral services at B.C. Funeral
Chapel on Friday at 3:30 p.m. Interment will
be in Colwood Burial Park.HEARDEN—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on
Tuesday, September 19, Charles M.
Hearden of 1046 View Street, aged 68
years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. Hearden
of Victoria for 16 years. Sur-
vived by his wife, his daughter, Miss
Ellen Margaret, at the family residence.
The remains are resting at McCall Bros.
Funeral Home, where funeral services
will be conducted on Thursday morning at 11
o'clock. Rev. G. R. V. Bolster will officiate.
Interment will be in Royal Oak
Burial Park.TADMAN—At St. Joseph's Hospital on
Monday, September 18, Jessie Tadman
of 2833 Burdick Avenue, aged 57 years
beloved wife of Francis Tadman. The
late Mrs. Tadman was born in Eng-
land and had been a resident
of the province for the last 35
years. He leaves to mourn his loss
his wife and his daughter, Miss
Ellen Margaret, at the family residence.
The remains are resting at McCall Bros.
Funeral Home, where funeral services
will be conducted on Thursday afternoon at 3:30
o'clock. Rev. Canon F. P. Chadwick
will officiate. Interment will be in Col-
wood Burial Park.YOUNG—Suddenly on the island on Friday,
September 18, John Alexander Young,
of 421 Johnson Street, aged 64 years.
The late Mr. Young was born in
Emerson, Man., and had been a resident
of Victoria for the last 22 years. He
is survived by one son, James
of Port Moody, B.C.; four sisters, Mrs.
R. E. Bradbury of Chinook, B.C.; Mrs.
N. G. Gruenwald of Victoria; and
J. R. Waddell of Spurline, Man.,
and his family residence.The remains are resting at McCall Bros.
Funeral Home, where funeral services
will be conducted on Saturday morning at 2
o'clock. Rev. Canon F. P. Chadwick
will officiate. Interment will be in Royal
Oak Burial Park.COLLINS—At St. Joseph's Hospital on
Sunday, September 17, Michael Collins,
aged 55 years. The late Mr. Collins
was born in England and had been a
resident of the city for the past seven
years.The remains are resting at McCall Bros.
Funeral Home, where funeral services
will be conducted on Monday morning at 8:30
o'clock. The funeral will proceed to St. Andrew's
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mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. In-
terment will take place in Ross Bay
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PRESIDENT SHIPS FOR EMERGENCY USE

TACOMA (AP) — Five idle "President" liners, operated from Seattle, via Victoria, to the Orient by the American Mail Line until they were laid up a year ago, are going to be reconstructed "immediately" a Tacoma financier, prominent in Pacific northwest shipping circles, predicted today.

The financier, who declined use of his name, said the cargo-passenger vessels would be for emergency work.

The ships, which carried 200 passengers and served speed of 17 knots, are the Presidents Madison, Jefferson, Jackson, Grant and McKinley.

U.S. Closely Watching Registration of Ships

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Commerce Department has taken precautions to prevent possible fraudulent registration of ships of belligerent countries under the American flag.

Commander R. S. Field, director of the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation, warned collectors and deputy collectors of customs to satisfy themselves thoroughly as to the legitimacy of any application for registration as a United States vessel when a ship has been owned by a citizen of a belligerent country or has flown the flag of that country.

Burned in Explosion

NORTH VANCOUVER (CP) — Two marine engineers, A. W. McRae and J. G. Gill, escaped with minor burns yesterday when an explosion wrecked the engine room of the tug St. Clair where they were working and forced them to drive the burning craft to a North Vancouver dock.

The fire was extinguished by the North Vancouver fire department and by two fire-fighting tugs which came to the scene.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

British Columbia
Clio Channel, Negro Rock—Day beacon established. Latitude N. 50° 35' 45", longitude W. 126° 22' 27", taken from Canadian Hydrographic Service chart No. 384. Description: Square concrete base surrounded by a white mast carrying a white wooden slotmark ball; elevation, 15 feet.

A new chart, Race Rocks to Turn Point, numbered 349, on Mercator projection, scales 1:72,967 or 1 inch to 1 mile, dated March, 1939, has been published by the Canadian Hydrographic Service.

A new chart, Turn Point to Sand Heads, numbered 350, on Mercator projection, scales 1:72,967 or 1 inch to 1 mile, dated February, 1939, has been published.

A new edition of chart No. 306, Skidegate Inlet, on polyconic projection, scales 1:73,030 or 1 inch to 1 mile, dated April, 1939, has been published.

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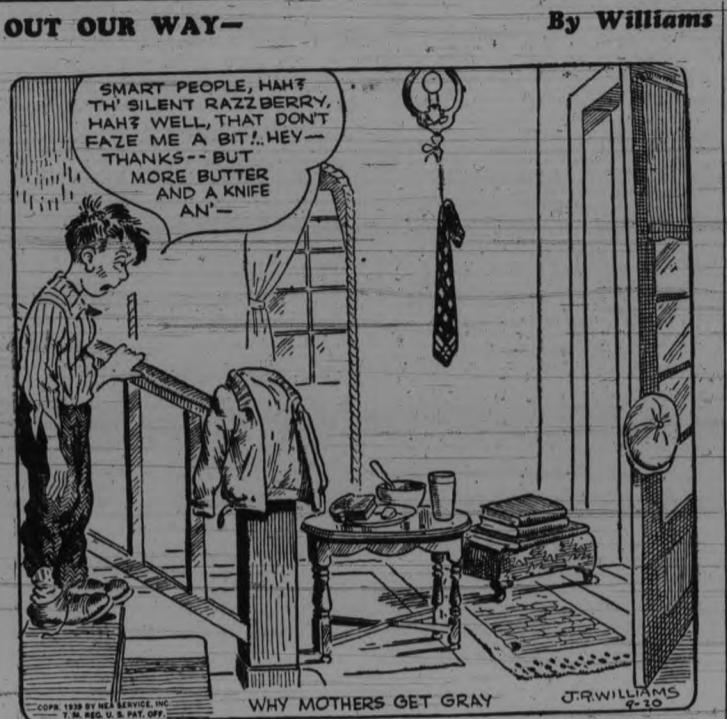
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OUT OUR WAY—



By Williams

Uncle Ray

The Rise and Fall of Babylon

III—BABYLON'S MARDUK

When the art of writing was young in the land which contained Babylon, there was a strange custom. Each city seems to have taken a special god as its own. Present-day people speak of those olden deities as "pagan gods."



Ancient picture of Marduk.

There came battles between the cities, and it was supposed that the soldiers were helped by the special gods of their cities. It was believed that the finish of the battle showed which was greater. The captured city was forced to bow before the god of the conqueror.

We may trace such stories in olden writings found in the ruins of Babylon. Take the city of Nippur, for instance. Its special deity was Enlil, the storm-god. People often called Nippur "the Place of Enlil." A song which was sung in the city spoke of Enlil as "the lord of lands" and "the guide of his people."

Another god in Nippur was Ninib, and he appears to have held first place before the city was conquered.

For a long time, the city of Kish had a chief deity named Zamama. This deity had to give way later to Shamash, the sun-god.

Among all the gods and goddesses of the country, the special god of Babylon came to be first. He was known commonly as Marduk, but sometimes was called Bel or Merodach. The latter names for him are used in an account of Babylon which appears in the Bible.

Marduk rose to his high place after Babylon won power over a number of cities in and near the valley of the Euphrates River. Among these cities were Ur, Kish, Lagash, Sippar and Nippur.

The songs written about him show that he was thought to be greater than Enlil or Shamash. Here is the meaning of one of the songs:

"You are the strong Marduk, the mighty lord of gods. The other gods bow before you. You are the founder of cities, and you open fountains. You look on the homes of the wicked, and take away their power. You are above the great Ea, your father."

Another song had this meaning:

"I pay honor to your name, oh Marduk, the strong one of the gods. You are all-wise and perfect in strength. You are the high ruler, and you hold the star-filled heavens in your grasp."

Belief in Marduk as the greatest of the gods lasted most of the time for 2,500 years. Yet in that time there came a rival, who for a time took first place. The rival's name was Ashur, and we shall speak of him on a later day.

HOROSCOPE

THURSDAY, September 21

This is read as an unimportant day in planetary rule, but adverse aspects are strong. It is a date for caution in buying or selling. It is well to postpone initiative. Judgment may be overly pessimistic.

Young folk may appear selfish in their desire to lead their own lives. They should be wisely led and taught the importance of service to their fellow beings.

Although government economies will be widely discussed taxes will continue to burden the average citizen. There will be certain easements to encourage commercial enterprise. Coming months, however, should be prosperous according to recent standards. Fluctuations in the stock market will be extreme.

South America is to be used as a means of harassing the United States. Dictators will seek favor in various indirect ways, especially concerning economic regulations and trade agreements. France continues under a threatening sway.

Children born on this day probably will be ambitious, resourceful, inventive and successful. These subjects of Virgo usually practice small economies so they can spend lavishly.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



KNEE-KOZER

MOST MOVIE STARS HAVE THE LETTER "R" IN THEIR NAME.



ANSWER: True. "Mountain canaries" are those faithful old burros used by mining prospectors. The name probably came from their singing bray, so different from that of a canary.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—I am in love with a girl, but she is in love with a married man who has a family. I might mention that this girl is also married. And don't get me wrong. She is a mighty fine girl and doesn't know how foolish she is being. But I can't stand by and see her throw herself away because I am afraid this married man does not love her as he should. Should I tell the man's wife and the girl's husband of their affair? Should I tell her that everybody knows about it and is gossiping about her? But what if they are very much in love? I don't know what to do.

A PUZZLED MAN.

Answer: I don't wonder that you are puzzled. It must give even Cupid himself a headache to try to straighten out the romance of so many persons who are in love with the ones they shouldn't love.

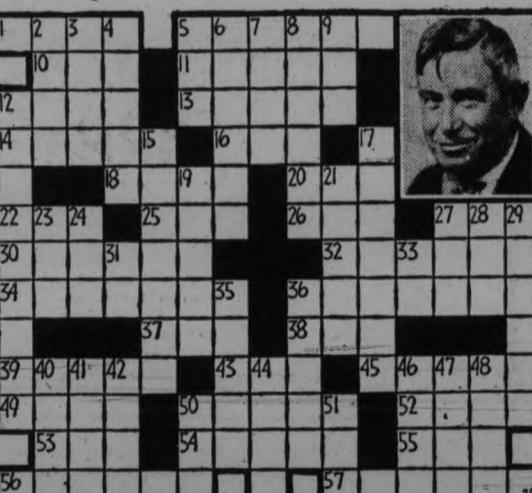
Of course, the real solution of the problem is for the married man and the married woman to break off their illicit romance and go back to their lawful spouses and behave themselves. No real happiness ever comes of wrongdoing, and neither one of them could have much peace of mind if they had bought the right to be together by breaking up two homes and orphaning a lot of little children.

Nor is there much joy in a married man and a married woman carrying on an undercover liaison. Lying and cheating those who trust them. Meeting in squalid places. Going in fear of the scandal that they know is already smearing them. The only happy love is the love that is clean and unashamed.

You are certainly optimistic if you think this married woman doesn't know how wrong is the thing she is doing, and you needn't be afraid that the man does not love her as he should. She doesn't rate much. The chances are that she will get just what she deserves in the end and that he will be as unfaithful to her as she has been to her own husband.

I certainly advise you to keep your fingers out of this mess. It is not your duty to tell the betrayed husband and wife of their mates' disloyalty. They will find it out soon enough without your aid. And it will do no good to remonstrate with the girl. If she will not listen to the voice of her own conscience, she will not hearken to you.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL
 1 Late actor, 5 Late actor, 9 Corvine bird.
 10 Four plus willow.
 11 three.
 12 Stratum.
 13 Part of a stair.
 14 Amidst.
 15 Spring fasting.
 16 season.
 17 Kind of lock.
 18 Edge.
 19 Egg dish.
 20 Fence door.
 21 or herons.
 22 main humor.
 23 Fish eggs.
 24 To ventilate.
 25 Still.
 26 Room recess.
 27 Inlet.
 28 Room recess.
 29 He was in an airplane accident.
 30 Measure of area.
 31 Musical note.
 32 Name of anything.
 33 Domestic slaves.
 34 Conveys.
 35 Less dangerous.
 36 Valued.
 37 Pleated out.
 38 Work of genius.
 39 Name of anything.
 40 Fern seeds.
 41 Name of anything.
 42 Pileated out.
 43 Greedy.
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 45 To leave out.
 46 Furtive watcher.
 47 Novel.

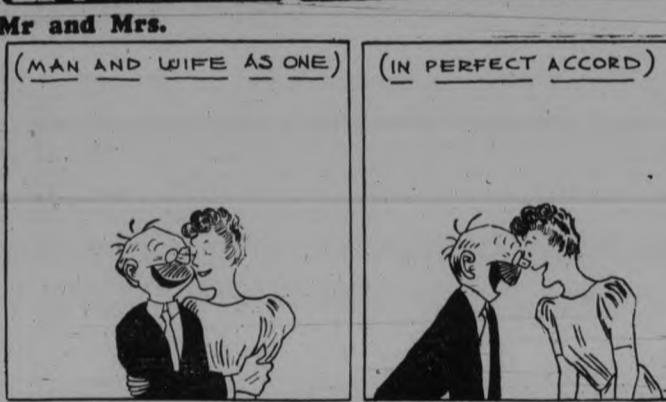
VERTICAL
 12 Wild ox.
 13 Horse fennel.
 14 Conveys.
 15 Inlet.
 16 Sheltered place.
 17 Stratum.
 18 Healthy.
 19 Corvine bird.
 20 Inlet.
 21 Part of a stair.
 22 Wild ox.
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Answer to Previous Puzzle
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**Hitler Convicts Self
 In Speech, Say British**

LONDON (CP)—The text of the British statement on Fuehrer Hitler's Danzig broadcast of yesterday follows:

Herr Hitler's speech is full of the gross misstatements which usually fall from his lips and to which the world has now become accustomed.

It is surprising that a man in his responsible position should venture to convict himself so palpably out of his own mouth.

Thus for example we now hear from Herr Hitler:

"At that time there lived in Poland a man of energy and action. I tried in common with Marshal Pilsudski to find a solution that would secure peace. In this we put aside the Versailles Treaty and attempted to reach a temporary solution."

"After the death of Marshal Pilsudski however, the mortal fight against all Germans in Poland and began anew. This fight naturally embittered and ruined the relations between the two nations."

"It was possible for us only with difficulty to look on while the German minority was barbarously ill-treated."

"The world, which is always shaken to the depths when a Polish Jew, who has recently emigrated to Germany is deported, remained dumb in the face of this ill-treatment."

So says Herr Hitler.

The world remained dumb in the face of this ill-treatment for the very good reason that from the time of Marshal Pilsudski's death until this spring Herr Hitler represented his relations with Poland as excellent.

FRIENDSHIP THEN

No word was said in Germany of the maltreatment of Germans in Poland. On the contrary, this is how Herr Hitler himself described his friendship for Poland:

In the Reichstag on May 21, 1935: "We recognize the Polish state as the home of a great patriotic nation with the understanding and the cordial friendship of candid nationalists."

In the Reichstag on February 20, 1938: "In the fifth year which followed the coming into force of the first great international conference concluded by the Reich, we state with genuine admiration that our relations with that state with which we had perhaps the greatest antagonism, are not only characterized by a detent, but that in the course of the past years, these relations resulted in a more and more friendly drawing together."

"I know full well that this is chiefly due to the fact that at that time there was not a western parliamentarian in Warsaw but a Polish marshal whose commanding personality realized the importance for Europe of such a detent between Germany and Poland."

"The value of this was questioned by many at the time, but it has now passed the test, and I may well say that since the League of Nations has ceased its continuous efforts at disturbance in Danzig and appointed a man of personal commission, this most dangerous place for the peace of Europe has entirely lost its menacing significance."

"The Polish state respects the national conditions in this country and that city and Germany respects Polish rights. Thus it was possible to find the way to an understanding which, emanating from Danzig, in spite of the assertion of many mischief makers, has succeeded in removing all friction between Germany and Poland and made it possible to work together in true amity."

NEVER TO BE FRIENDS

Again, in the Reichstag on February 20, 1938:

"There is only one state with which we have never sought close relations and with which we do not want to have any close relations. I mean Soviet Russia."

"We must look upon Bolshevism as upon the incarnation of the destructive qualities of human nature, and we do so even more than ever before."

There is no question of Great Britain waging war, as Herr Hitler declares, on German women and children.

The German government have already declared that there are ample stocks of food in Germany, but the restriction of the import of raw materials is not a measure of which the German government can legitimately complain.

Finally, Herr Hitler's account of the circumstances attending the

Canada to Organize Two Divisions Small War Craft Will Be Built

LEGION PLEDGES FULL SUPPORT

OTTAWA (CP)—With the assurance of Prime Minister Mackenzie King that the government would give full consideration to their suggestions the members of the dominion executive council of the Canadian Legion continued their meeting today.

Enthusiasm was expressed by the Legion officers at the declaration of the defence minister last night that Canada would raise two divisions for overseas service if need and would otherwise assist Britain.

The executive council has sent the following cable to the British Empire Service League, parent body of the principal ex-service men's organizations in the Empire:

"The dominion executive council in emergency session assembled desire to assure our sister organizations of the British Empire Service League, especially the British Legion, of the firm determination of the Canadian Legion to utilize all resources at its command to support the common war effort of the Empire. Our hearts go out to the people of the mother country in this time of trial and soon Canadian troops will again be fighting side by side with their British comrades on land, at sea and in the air. In this struggle, as in 1914 to 1918, the British Empire shall emerge victorious."

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No. 3

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 THE PALACE HOTEL'S ON FIRE!

GOOD HEAVENS! THAT'S
 WHERE I'M STOPPING!

Cabinet Change Gives Rogers Defence Post

OTTAWA (CP)—Hon. Norman McLeod Rogers, 45-year-old native of Nova Scotia and former university professor, today took over control of the Department of National Defence, succeeding Hon. Ian Mackenzie King, who has headed the department since the government was formed in 1935.

This was the major move in a cabinet shuffle announced late last night, in which Prime Minister Mackenzie King changed the portfolios of four of the ministers.

Mr. Mackenzie now holds the portfolio of Pensions and National Health, succeeding Hon. C. G. Power, who becomes Postmaster-General, while Hon. Norman McLarty, who held that portfolio since January 23, 1939, becomes Labor minister.

The cabinet changes followed closely on rumored changes which also involved appointment of Wallace R. Campbell, head of the Ford

MACKENZIE'S CAREER

Mr. Mackenzie, who has taken over the Pensions and Health Department, finds himself at home in his new surroundings, which will bring him in close contact with war veterans. He has taken interest in the affairs of the ex-service men.

Mr. Mackenzie is 49 years old, a native of Assynt, Scotland, a barrister with degrees of M.A. and LL.B. from Edinburgh University. He took honors in classics and specialized in Celtic languages with two years' research work in Ireland.

A fluent and ready speaker, Mr. Mackenzie came to Canada in 1914 and practised law in Vancouver. He served overseas in the first Great War and entered politics in 1920 as member of the British Columbia Legislature.

Re-elected in 1924 and 1928, Mr. Mackenzie resigned from the Legislature to become minister of immigration in the Mackenzie King government just before its defeat in the 1930 general election.

Mr. Mackenzie has been a member of the House of Commons continuously since 1930, and when the Liberal administration was formed in 1935 he became Minister of National Defence.

Major C. G. Power, who has left the pensions and health department and become postmaster-general, was born at Sillery, Que., January 18, 1888. He has been a member of the House of Commons continuously since 1917, representing Quebec South.

Called to the bar in 1910, Mr. Power went overseas in 1915 and had a distinguished career. He won the Military Cross and was wounded twice.

As minister of pensions and national health, Major Power caused

many changes in administration of pensions and worked closely with war veterans' associations. He is considered an expert on election and franchise legislation and often handled legislation on these questions in the House of Commons.

BORN IN ONTARIO

Mr. McLarty was born February 18, 1889, at St. Thomas, Ont. He is a lawyer and practised in Windsor before entering the cabinet January 23, 1939, succeeding Hon. J. C. Elliott, whose illness forced him to resign as postmaster-general.

Mr. McLarty was first elected to the House of Commons in October, 1935, for Essex West.

TEA AND COFFEE ADVANCES SEEN

No definite statement can be made on the advance of tea and coffee prices in the city, but from general observations the average increase to retailers is 10 cents a pound on coffee and seven cents a pound on tea.

It is the general impression that a further advance will be seen, perhaps another five cents on coffee and two or three cents on tea.

Increases in prices have varied considerably with cash stores and outside companies. Complicated variations have depended on stock on hand mainly with increases in freight, shipping and insurance rates presenting a problem.

Some companies report that no increase has been made on the prices of their merchandise.

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